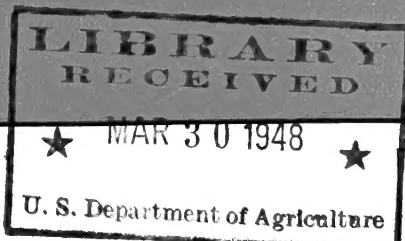


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will the expected crop **BE THERE?**

Good soil, good rain, good sunshine — yes, they are all necessary for good hay crops. And so is **GOOD SEED!** Those first three factors working for you can't overcome poor seed. And if they are against you — that's when the vitality of good seed is doubly important!

Where you depend on alfalfa or clover hay crops — start with **GOOD Hoffman Seed.** Seed free of noxious weeds. Clean as only modern cleaners can make it. Seed that will live through tough winters — cold, wet, springs — because it comes from parent stock that **HAS** to be vigorous. Alfalfa seed that extends your stands 2, 4 or more years longer, because its heavy growth keeps weeds from getting a foothold.

Folks sowing Hoffman Clover, Alfalfa, Timothy seed year after year have learned to expect and **GET** those heavy hay crops. They know it's economical to buy Hoffman Seed . . . their **EXTRA** hay tonnage is clear profit.

It's not too late for you to get Hoffman Clover or Alfalfa seed right now. Consult price list (back page) for your selection of the varieties offered.



Hoffman *Quality* SEED OATS

for Heaviest crops of
low cost, home-grown feed

Figure EVERYTHING . . . it's important! Since last oats harvest, all kinds of 'seed oats' (of many qualities) have been hunting buyers. BUT . . . top crops can't come from uncertain seed — in oats or any other farm crop. To say it's 'certified' isn't enough. OTHER FACTORS ARE EVEN MORE IMPORTANT. Is it seed from a HEAVY crop? (Certified only indicates it is true to type.) Is it bright, heavy seed? (Many crops certified this year were not.) Has it been cleaned right? (Much certified seed was certainly not well cleaned.) Will it germinate quick, start fast? How is its vigor? Has it been treated with Ceresan, for EXTRA protection against soil-borne diseases?

Only a small percentage of seed oats available carries the very top rating. HOFFMAN Certified Seed Oats do — because they have been carefully selected as the BEST Seed from all the many offerings available. With so much depending on a good oats crop this year, why "shop around"? Here is the quality you need for the extra bushels you want next harvest!



TWO GREAT OATS FOR YOU!

Both certified — both splendid white, heavy, clean, healthy seed — the result of early purchases, for your protection.

"CLINTON" — a proved heavy yielder. Disease resistance is proven. Stools well and is a vigorous grower — stiff straw — good length. Is a plump grain oat with thin hull, high "meat" percentage. Another good point for unfavorable harvest weather — its strong stalks will hold up its full, ripe heads longer — protection when you need it.

"VICTORY". Many folks again want the tried-and-true Hoffman certified Victory Oats. It has proven dependable for Hoffman customers more than 20 years. Puts up a good fight in adverse weather. Stools well, grows long, stiff straw with heavy heads. Kernels large, hulls thin. Top-notch seed of a great producer.

Take your choice of these two fine lots — truly low in cost for seed of their super-quality. Order today!

U. S. Farmers have quickly learned Soil Protection of Rye Grass

It provides good heavy covers for your corn field — potato ground — garden. Great anti-leaching and green manure qualities. Heavy matted root systems result of vigorous, clean Hoffman seed. Call is heavy. Order now.

Last year the use of Hoffman SWEET SUDAN spread very greatly. Apparently its longer grazing season, plus broader, more palatable leaves, has what cattle need. Demand again heavy. Supply shorter. Time to get yours is right now. Quality fine.

Hoffman Seed Potatoes from Famous Tuber-Unit Seed Stock

Some extra ground in spuds COULD be a very good cash crop. Here is excellent seed — reliable varieties. See price list.

Sweet Corn—For Table or Market

Here's a good item for the home, and for nearby markets and restaurants. These Sweet Corn hybrids mature uniformly — a big advantage for market crops. Here is good seed, priced right. Order this item along with other seeds. See price list.



Extra loads — Fill your cribs! Proved Hoffman Funk G Husking Hybrids are still available for all sections of the east

BETTER SILAGE



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AND MORE OF IT!

Here's further proof that Hoffman hybrid research here in the east pays YOU bigger corn dividends. This non-stop effort has developed special Funk G Silage hybrids to fit every farm condition in this area. These G-silage hybrids are specialists, far different from old "Silage" corn which was just late-maturing corn with mostly water and little feed value. Funk G hybrids are bred to give you heavier tonnage of solid feed. To supply greater nutrient value in proportion to total green weight. To add well-developed grain into your ensilage.

Bred with great roots and heavy leafiness to develop even in dry seasons, to fight off blight, to stand up for easy cutting.

Get your Funk G Hybrid now. Grow better silage than you've ever had before — reap the benefits of this Hoffman Funk G effort to get better corn production from all eastern and northern farms.

Inside thousands of northern and eastern silos you now find ton after ton of "just right" ensilage. With its proper proportion of well-developed grain and leaves. In each instance — the result of planting the KNOWN - to - be - RIGHT Funk G Hybrid for that particular location.



FEED YOUR COWS... and they'll FEED YOU



Pasturage is the lowest-cost source of good dairy feed you have . . . the foundation for those bigger milk checks, extra weight on livestock, and better poultry returns. The basis for better pastures is GOOD SEED . . . clean, vigorous, weed-free seed, of the RIGHT STRAINS.

Still spreading to more and more use in pastures every year is the unrivalled pasture clover . . . Ladino. If you have not yet taken advantage of its sensational yield-ability, its high protein content, its quick recovery after grazing, its palatability — you are really missing something! Check over your pasture situation right now; figure out where Ladino and its com-

panion grasses would fit in . . . and get started on the road to more PASTURE PROFITS today!

And here's a pleasing exception in this time of high prices . . . Practically all of the light grass seeds—Kentucky Blue, Orchard, Lincoln Brome, Fescues, are here in splendid quality—at prices LOWER than a year ago. Consider the two Hoffman "Permanent Pastures"—one blend for Highland use, the other for lower areas (both contain Ladino) . . . at about two-thirds of last year's cost. This is certainly the year to get new pastures started or to renovate and improve old ones. Depend on Hoffman fine quality seed.

'Money-Saving' Clover & Timothy Combinations

(1) Hoffman ECONOMICAL MIXTURE (about 1/2 red, 1/4 alsike, 1/4 timothy) is a vigorous producing combination of good, clean seeds, priced right—for instant shipment. (2) Another exceptional producer is the Hoffman Timothy and 20% Alsike blend. Very popular, low cost. Consult price list on back of this folder.



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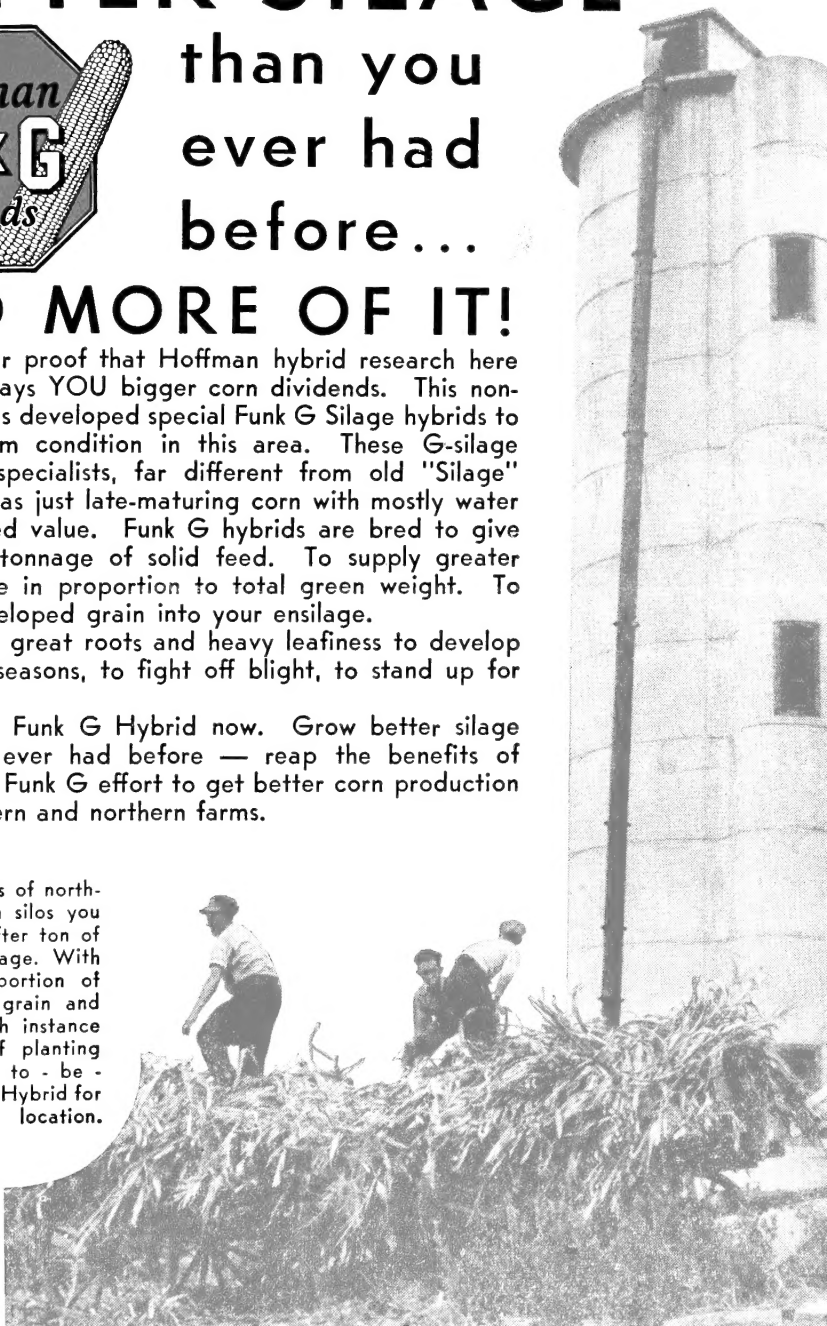
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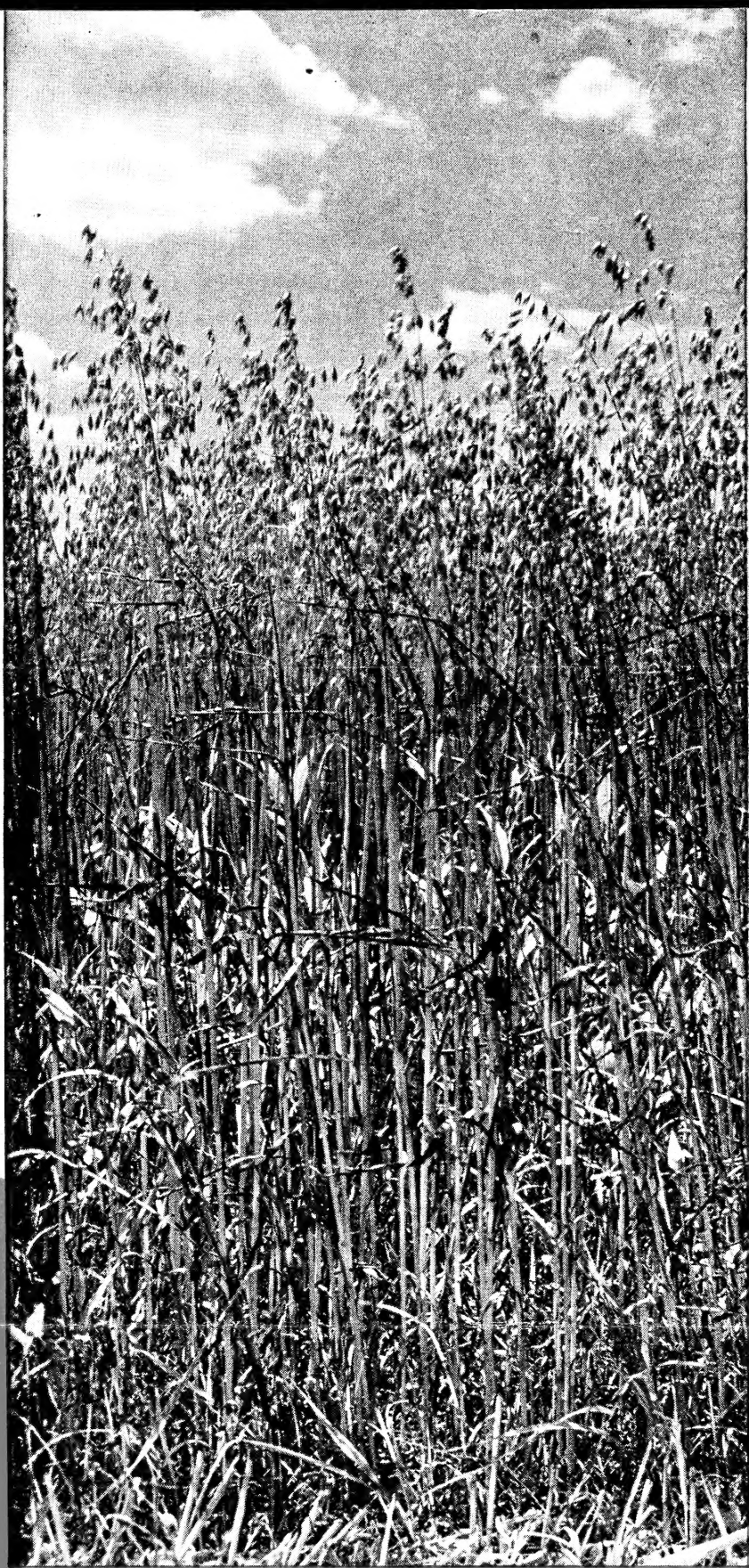
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March 22, 1948

(When ordering less than 1/2-bushel of any item, please figure the 'per lb.' quotation.)

ALFALFA

★ U. S. Verified Origin Seed	Per Bu.
(60 lbs. per bu.)	Lb. Bu.
★ "Kansas" Alfalfa	39 \$22.50
★ Hoffman "Northwest"	49 28.50
★ "Grimm Type"	53 31.00
Certified "Grimm"	37.50

CLOVERS

	Per Bu.
(60 lbs. per bu.)	Lb. Bu.
Sweet Clover	23 \$12.90
Yellow Blossom	22 12.30
Alsike Clover	54 31.50
Mammoth (Sapling)	73 42.50
Red Clover	73 42.50

	1-14	15-49	50 lb. & over
Ladino Clover	@ \$2.80	\$2.75	\$2.70
White Dutch Clover	@ .85	.80	.75
Wild White Clover	@ 1.50	1.45	1.40
Birdfoot Trefoil	@ 2.30	2.25	2.20

TIMOTHY

"Farmer's Choice"	(45 lbs. per bu.)	per bu. \$ 4.60
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CLOVER & TIMOTHY (Mix)

Economical Mixture	(56 lbs.)	\$26.20
Alsike and Timothy	(45 lbs.)	7.60

OATS

	Up to 14 bu.	15 bu. to 49 & over
(32 lbs. per bu.)	14 bu.	to 49 & over
"Victory" Certified	\$2.70	\$2.65
"Clinton" Certified	3.25	3.20
Marion	2.85	2.80

BARLEY & GRAINS

	Per Bu.
"Wisconsin 38" (Velvet)	(48 lb.) \$4.50
Spring Wheat	(60 lb.) 5.45
Spring Rye	(56 lb.) 5.60
Speltz	(40 lb.) 3.20
Buckwheat	(48 lb.) 3.80

"CERESAN"

For Oats, Barley, Wheat	
(1 lb. treats 32 bu.) (Postpaid)	
4 oz. \$0.35	1 lb. \$0.90
	4 lb. \$3.00

"SEMESAN BEL"

(For Seed Potatoes)	
(1 lb. treats 60 to 80 bu.) (Postpaid)	
1 lb. \$1.00	4 lbs. \$6.35
	2 oz. \$0.55

HOFFMAN INOCULANT

(Postpaid)	
For Alfalfa and Sweet Clover	
1 bu. \$0.50	2 1/2 bu. \$1.00
For Red Clovers, Alsike, Crimson	
1 bu. \$0.50	2 1/2 bu. \$1.00
For Soy Beans	
2 bu. \$0.30	5 bu. \$0.55
	25 bu. \$2.50
For Canada Peas, Vetch	
1 bu. \$0.35	100 lbs. \$0.55

SOY BEANS

(60 lbs. per bu.)	Up to 10 to 30 & over
Wilson Black type @	\$5.20 \$5.15 \$5.10
Lincoln	5.60 5.55 5.50
Cayuga	6.40 6.35 6.30

PEAS

(60 lbs. per bu.)	Per Bu.
Canada Field Peas	\$6.80

HOFFMAN RYE GRASS

In lots of 1 to 9 bushels	@ \$2.95
In lots of 10 to 24 bushels	@ 2.90
In lots of 25 bushels and over	@ 2.85

SUDAN GRASS

	Up to 150 lb.	150 to 499 lb.	500 lb. & over
Regular type @	\$0.15	\$0.14 1/2	\$0.14
"Sweet" Sudan	.20	.19 1/2	.19

HOFFMAN SWEET CORN

	POSTPAID PRICES				NOT POSTPAID	
	1 lb.	2 lbs.	5 lbs.	10 lbs.	10 lbs.	25 lbs.
Golden Bantam	\$0.35	\$0.65	\$1.45	\$2.65	@ \$0.24	@ \$0.22
Stowell's Evergreen	.35	.65	1.45	2.65	.24	.22
Golden Cross Bantam (Hybrid)	.55	1.00	2.35	4.30	.40	.38
Evergreen (White Hybrid)	.60	1.10	2.50	4.80	.45	.43
Lincoln (Hybrid)	.55	1.00	2.35	4.30	.40	.38

SEED POTATOES

	(100-lb. sack)	1 & 2	3 to 5	6 to 9	10 sack & more
(CERTIFIED)	sax	sax	sax	sax	
Irish Cobbler	@ \$5.85	\$5.55	\$5.50	\$5.45	\$5.45
Katahdin	5.85	5.55	5.50	5.45	
Sebago	5.85	5.55	5.50	5.45	
Michigan Russet	6.10	5.85	5.80	5.75	

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